

RESOLUTION NO. 2004-219

A RESOLUTION OF THE LODI CITY COUNCIL APPROVING
PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS, AUTHORIZING ADVERTISEMENT
FOR BIDS FOR LIGHTED CROSSWALK SYSTEM PROJECT AT
LOCKEFORD STREET AND CALAVERAS STREET, AND FURTHER
AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE ALL
NECESSARY AGREEMENTS TO IMPLEMENT THE PROJECT,
AWARD OR REJECT THE CONTRACT UP TO \$29,000, AND
APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE PROJECT

WHEREAS, in 2003, in cooperation with the Lodi Unified School District and the Lawrence School Principal, City staff applied for State of California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) "Safe Route to School" grant funds for a lighted crosswalk system on Lockeford Street at Calaveras Street intersection; and

WHEREAS, in November 2003, Caltrans informed the City federal funds from the Safe Route to School (SR2S) Program were approved for our project; and

WHEREAS, to simplify and expedite the project, the City requested de-federalizing the project and in September 2004 received an allocation for State funds from the SR2S Program; and

WHEREAS, the preferred system includes Light Emitting Diode (LED) in-ground devices and advance lighted LED crosswalk signage and pedestrian push buttons. When a pedestrian pushes the button, the in-ground devices and advance lighted signs are activated causing the road surface-mounted LEDs to flash in both directions of traffic, indicating the presence of the crosswalk and pedestrian.

WHEREAS, staff recommends that the City Council approve the plans and specifications, authorize advertisement for bids, and authorize the City Manager to execute all necessary agreements to implement the project, award or reject the contract up to \$29,000, and further appropriate funds for the project.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Lodi City Council does hereby approve the plans and specifications, authorize advertisement for bids, and authorize the City Manager to execute all necessary agreements to implement the project and award or reject the contract up to \$29,000; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City Council hereby authorizes the City Manager to appropriate funds from SR2S funds (maximum of \$19,800) and Transportation Development Act funds for this project.

Dated: October 20, 2004

I hereby certify that Resolution No. 2004-219 was passed and adopted **by** the City Council of the City of Lodi in a regular meeting held October 20, 2004, by the following vote:

AYES: COUNCIL MEMBERS – Howard, Land, and Mayor Hansen

NOES: COUNCIL MEMBERS – Beckman and Hitchcock

ABSENT: COUNCIL MEMBERS – None

ABSTAIN: COUNCIL MEMBERS – None

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Susan J. Blackston". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Susan" and last name "Blackston" clearly legible.

SUSAN J. BLACKSTON
City Clerk